STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, January 20, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland:

I hereby nominate Alexander Keech, School Commissioner, 5th district, St. Mary's county, vice Henry C. Adams, elected to that office at the late election and declined to serve.

In making this nomination I would call your attention to the fact, that no provision is made by law for filling such vacancies, and I deem it proper to make the nomination in accordance with the 10th section of the 2d Article of the Constitution. ODEN BOWIE.

On motion by Mr. Maddox,

The Senate advised and consented to the aforegoing appointment, agreeably to the nomination.

STATE OF MARYLAND.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, Annapolis, January 18th, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland:

I nominate to you H. F. Perry, as Notary Public, at Clearspring, in Washington county. ODEN BOWIE.

On motion by Mr. Clarke,

The aforegoing appointment was ordered to lie over.

STATE OF MARYLAND,

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,

Annapolis, January 18, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate of Maryland:

I herewith transmit to you the Executive appointment made by me during the recess of the Senate, of Adjutant General, April 6th 1869, Major George H. Bier, Adjutant General, vice Adj't General John S. Berry, resigned.

ODEN BOWIE.

On motion by Mr. Clarke,

The Senate advised and consented to the aforegoing appointment, agreeably to the nomination.